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In response to the Office Action dated July 22, 200 5, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on October 22, 2005 (Saturday), reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.